

**REMARKS**

Applicant believes that the above submissions are a complete and faithful response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) dated 5 September 24, 2004. Applicant requests reconsideration of Examiner Mark Spisich's communication dated March 2, 2004 as set forth in Applicant's Amendment filed June 24, 2004 and as amended herein.

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Date: September 29, 2004

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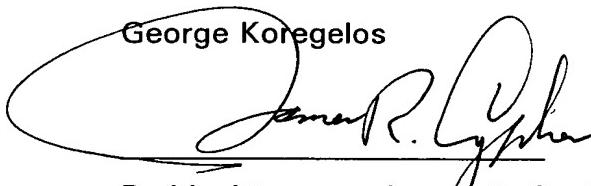
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